

Selected Facts for Taylor County - 1995

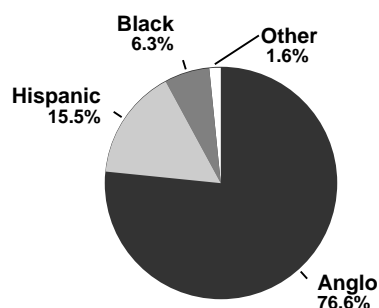
Demography

Estimated Population: 126,234

Population Rank Among Texas 254 Counties: 25

Population Per Square Mile: 137.9

Area in Square Miles: 916



POPULATION INFORMATION

Age	Females	Males	Total	Percent
0 - 4	5,066	5,260	10,326	8.3 %
5 - 14	9,708	10,268	19,976	15.8 %
15 - 44	29,034	30,064	59,098	46.8 %
45 - 64	11,683	10,329	22,012	17.4 %
Over 64	9,171	5,651	14,822	11.7 %
Total	64,662	61,572	126,234	100.0 %
County	51.2 %	48.8 %		
State	50.5 %	49.5 %		

Socio-Economic Indicators

	County	Statewide
Unemployment Rate	5.2 %	6.0 %
Average Monthly Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC) Recipients	3,437	748,178
Average Monthly Food Stamp Participants	14,158	2,637,195
Total Medicaid Expenditures ¹	\$ 85,307,172	\$ 6,566,811,421

Medicaid (Title XIX)

	County	Statewide
Unduplicated Count of:		
Medicaid Eligibles ²	17,799	2,888,398
Medicaid Recipients ²	16,175	2,564,062
Medicaid Clients Served:		
Physicians Services	12,972	2,044,513
Inpatient Hospital Services	3,258	496,185
Outpatient Hospital Services	7,556	1,166,551
Prescribed Medications	12,263	2,022,523
Family Planning Services	1,716	218,147
THSteps (EPSDT) Checkups	5,968	981,812

Nativity

	Number	PERCENT	
		County	Statewide
Total Live Births	1,965		
Adolescent Mothers (<18)	177	9.0 %	6.9 %
Unmarried Mothers	576	29.3 %	30.1 %
Low Birth Weight ³	136	6.9 %	7.1 %
Late or No Prenatal Care ³	605	30.9 %	22.7 %
Fertility Rate ⁴	County: 67.7	State: 74.3	

Communicable Diseases - Reported Cases

	Number	RATE ⁴	
		County	Statewide
Tuberculosis	4	---	12.7
Sexually Transmitted Diseases			
Primary and Secondary			
Syphilis	0	---	8.3
Gonorrhea	175	138.6	165.0
Chlamydia	353	279.6	238.9
AIDS	9	---	25.1
Measles	0	---	---

Mortality

	Deaths	RATE ⁴	
		County	Statewide
Deaths From All Causes	1,086	543.1	526.0
Cardiovascular Disease	484	211.1	189.1
Heart Disease	384	171.4	146.7
Stroke	75	28.1	31.5
All Cancer	222	120.5	130.0
Lung Cancer	67	36.9	39.0
Female Breast Cancer	18	---	20.4
Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease	55	29.0	22.3
Diabetes	36	20.3	18.0

	Deaths	RATE ⁴	
		County	Statewide
Infant Deaths	24	12.2	6.5
Fetal Deaths ³	11	5.6	6.3
Unintentional Injury (Accidents)	42	28.3	31.3
Motor Vehicle Injury	18	---	17.5
Work-related Injury	3	---	2.2
Homicide	6	---	9.9
Suicide	23	17.8	11.5

¹ Excluding Disproportionate Share Hospital payments.

² A county with more recipients than eligibles reflects claims paid for services rendered to a recipient in a prior fiscal year.

³ Low birth weight includes all live-born infants weighing less than 2,500 grams at birth. Late prenatal care includes mothers who did not receive prenatal care during the first trimester of pregnancy. Fetal deaths are those occurring after 2 weeks gestation and prior to birth.

⁴ Fertility rates are per 1,000 women ages 15 - 44. Infant death rates and fetal death rates are per 1,000 live births. Work-related injury death rates are per 100,000 population. The remaining death rates have been age-adjusted to the 1940 U.S. standard population per 100,000 population. Communicable disease rates are also per 100,000 population. Rates and percents have not been calculated if 20 or fewer births, deaths or cases occurred as indicated by "----".

Health Professionals

	County	Statewide
Direct Patient Care Physicians	210	26,037
Ratio of Population per Direct Care Physician	601	719
Ratio of Population per General/Family Practice	3,412	3,914
Ratio of Population (Females 15-44) per ob/gyn	2,233	2,461
Registered Nurses	836	96,197
Ratio of Population per Registered Nurse.	151	195
Dentists	64	7,452
Ratio of Population per Dentist	1,972	2,513
Participating Medicaid Physicians	77	8,918
Low Participation Level (0 - 29 clients)	41	5,247
Mid Participation Level (30 - 99 clients)	16	1,684
High Participation Level (100+ clients)	20	1,987

Health Facilities

Acute Care Hospitals.	3
Licensed Beds	705
Staffed Beds	477
Disproportionate share hospital payments	\$ 0
Nursing Homes	10
Licensed Beds	1,145

Taylor county has no Health Professional Shortage Area designations.

Taylor county has subcounty areas which are designated as Medically Underserved Areas.

Texas Department of Health Program Summary for Taylor County

Children's Health Services

Children receiving care

Chronically Ill and Disabled Children's Services

Eligible children

Children served

Amount paid

Dental Health Services

Children receiving dental care

Children provided with dental education

Emergency Medical Services

Ambulances permitted

EMS personnel certified

Family Planning Services (Title V and XX)

Individuals served

Food and Drug Safety

Facilities licensed, registered, permitted or accredited

Immunization Division

Vaccine doses administered (less than age 20).

Kidney Health Care

ESRD patients receiving life-sustaining treatments

Estimated cost of treatment

Women's Health Services

Women receiving prenatal and postpartum care ...

Breast and Cervical Cancer Control Program

Mammograms Performed.

Milk and Dairy Products Division

Operations monitored

Primary Health Care/COPC Services

Reported clients served

Radiation Control Program

Health related permits issued.

Certified mammography locations

Tuberculosis Elimination Division

Patients completing preventive therapy

Women, Infants, and Children's Nutrition

Monthly average receiving benefits

Zoonosis Control

Number of animals diagnosed positive for rabies

Abilene Public Health District

TDH funding

NOTE: The data above may represent the number of clients served by a clinic/provider located in a specific county, not the number of county residents served. In addition, some providers may serve multiple counties but report only aggregate data.